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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

WE have established ourselves at this place under the Management of Mr. R. LYALL (NORTON & Co.), who is authorized to sign our Firm.

GEO. SMITH & Co.,
Wine and Spirit Merchants;

SHANGHAI: FOUNDED 1860;

LONDON: 21 GREAT ST. HENRY,

Queen's Road Central,
Hongkong, June 1881.

NOTICE.

M. HERMANN OTTE has been authorized to sign our Firm for Procurement.

PUSTAU & Co.

Hongkong, May 18, 1881.

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CHINA—MORAN, MORAN & A. DE MELLO & Co., SANTAO, CAMPBELL & Co., AMY, WITSON, NICHOLLS & Co., FOOCHOW, HEDGE & Co., NANKING, LANE, CHAFFEY & Co., and KELLY & WASH, YOKOHAMA, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Banks.

COMPTOIR D'ESCOMpte DE PARIS.
(Incorporated 7th & 18th March, 1848.)

RECOGNISED by the INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION of 30th April, 1862.

CAPITAL FULLY PAID UP.....£3,200,000.

RESERVE FUND.....£800,000.

HEAD OFFICE—14, RUE BERGERE,

PARIS.

AGENCIES and BRANCHES at:
LONDON, BOURBON, SAN FRANCISCO,
Marseille, BOMBAY, HONGKONG,
LYON, CALCUTTA, HANKOW,
NANTES, SHANGHAI, FOOCHOW,
MELBOURNE, and SYDNEY.

LONDON BANKERS:
THE BANK OF ENGLAND,
THE UNION BANK OF LONDON,
MESSRS. C. J. HAMBRO & SON.

The Hongkong Agency receives Fixed Deposits on Terms to be ascertained on application, grants Drafts and Credits on all parts of the World, and transacts every description of Banking Exchange Business.

E. SCHWEBLIN,

Agent, Hongkong.

Hongkong, April 12, 1881.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION,
(Incorporated by Royal Charter.)

PAID-UP CAPITAL.....£1,500,000.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED on DEPOSITS.

At 3 months' notice 3% per Annum.

6 " 4% "

12 " 5% "

Current Accounts kept on Terms which may be learnt on application.

GEO. O. SCOTT,

Acting Manager.

Oriental Bank Corporation,
Hongkong, September 4, 1879.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL.....\$5,000,000 Dollars.

RESERVE FUND.....\$1,800,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman—A. MCIVER, Esq.

Deputy Chairman—H. L. DALMIPLE, Esq.

E. R. BELLIOS, Esq., F. B. JOHNSON, Esq.

H. D. C. FORBES, Wm. REINERS, Esq., Esq.

H. F. SASSON, Esq., H. HOPFUS, Esq.

Chief Manager.

Hongkong, April 19, 1881.

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

For Fixed Deposits—

For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.

6 " 4 per cent. "

12 " 5 per cent. "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON,

Chief Manager.

Office of the Corporation,
No. 1, Queen's Road East.
Hongkong, April 19, 1881.

CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE.

POLICIES GRANTED at current rates on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World. In accordance with the Company's Articles of Association, Two-thirds of the Profits are distributed annually to Contributors, whether Shareholders or not, in proportion to the net amount of Premium contributed by each, the remaining third being carried to Reserve Fund.

J. BRADLEE SMITH,

Secretary.

Hongkong, April 6, 1881.

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Hongkong, June 1881.

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NOTICE.

M. FRANCIS CASS is hereby authorized to sign our Firm by Procurement on and after this Date.

ELLES & Co.

Amoy, 1st June, 1881.

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FOR SHANGHAI.

The Steamship "Amoy," Captain Drewes, will be despatched for the above Port to-morrow, the 14th instant, at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSEN & Co., Hongkong, June 13, 1881. 161

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHEW.

The Steamship "Tides," Captain Poersch, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 15th instant, at Noon, instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAK & Co., Hongkong, June 13, 1881. 161

FOR AMOY AND TAMSUL.

The Steamship "Abita," Captain Linwood, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 17th instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DIRECT COMMUNICATION BETWEEN HONGKONG AND AUSTRALIA.

FOR PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY ISLAND, COOKTOWN, TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

(Taking through Cars and Passengers at through rates for ADELAIDE and all NEW ZEALAND PORTS.)

The Steamship "Charlton," Captain Rixson, is unfortunately postponed until FRIDAY, the 17th instant, at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

JOHN R. STEVENS & Co., Hongkong, June 13, 1881. 161

FOR SHANGHAI.

The British Steamship "Frieder," Commander, will be despatched for the above Port, and will have immediate despatch.

For Freight, apply to

JOHN B. BAZLEY WHITE & BROTHERS, PORTLAND CEMENT.

Sale Agents for China.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co., Hongkong, June 13, 1881. 161

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON. VIA SUEZ, CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship "Goliath," Captain C. Butler, will be despatched on or about the 20th instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, June 13, 1881.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR YOKOHAMA.

The Co.'s Steamship "Sceptre," Captain J. Rea, will be despatched on or about the 21st instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, June 13, 1881.

TREASURY BILLS.

TENDERS OF SPECIE, Mexican Dollars current in this Colony, weighing 7.1.7, in Exchange for Bills, drawn at 10 days' sight, on the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, will be RECEIVED by the CHIEF PAYMASTER, until 12 Noon, on WEDNESDAY, the 15th instant.

The Tenders to state the Total Amount required, and the Amount for which each Bill should be drawn; but no Bills will be issued for sums below £300.

The Tenders to be in duplicate, in Sealed Covers, addressed to the "Chief Paymaster," and endorsed "Tenders for Treasury Bills."

The right to accept, or reject, any or all the Tenders is reserved.

J. E. LONGDEN, Lieut.-Col., Chief Paymaster.

TREASURY OFFICE, Queen's Road, Hongkong, 13th June, 1881. 161

U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

THROUGH to NEW YORK, via OVERLAND RAILWAYS, and TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA, and SAN FRANCISCO.

THE U. S. Mail Steamship "CITY OF TOKIO" will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on or about the 29th June, 1881, at 3 p.m., taking Passengers, and Freight, for Japan, the United States, and Europe.

Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States via Overland Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America by the Company's and connecting Steamers.

Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers.

Freight will be received on board until 2 p.m., the 28th June. Parcel Packages will be received in the office until 5 p.m., same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address, in full; value of same is required.

Consular Invoices to accompany Overland Cargo should be sent to the Company's Offices in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

For further information apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 9, Praya Central.

RUSSELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, June 13, 1881.

For MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.'s Advertisements see last column 4th page.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

The American Ship "Highland," Captain Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to

VOGEL & Co.

Hongkong, June 14, 1881. 161

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

The 100-t. British Ship "Rockland," Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to

VOGEL & Co.

Hongkong, June 13, 1881.

FOR LONDON.

The 33 L. 1. Danish Bark "Therese," Captain Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to

VOGEL & Co.

Hongkong, June 13, 1881.

FOR LONDON.

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FOR LONDON.

The 33 L. 1. German Bark "Hermann," Captain Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

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VOGEL & Co.

Hongkong, June 13, 1881.

FOR HONOLULU.

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For Sale.

MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.
HAVE RECEIVED FOR SALE,
Ex. Recently arrived Mail and
other Shipments.

**AMERICAN AND ENGLISH
GROCERIES.**
FRESH SUPPLIES RECEIVED BY EVERY
MAIL.

Eastern and California CHEESE.

Boneless CODFISH.

Prime HAMS and BACON.

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Eagle Brand Condensed MILK.

PEACH, and APPLE BUTTER.

Pickled OX-TONGUES.

Family PIG-PORK in legs and pieces.

Paragon MACKEREL in 5 lb cans.

Beau Ideal SALMON in 5 lb cans.

Cutting's Dessert FRUITS in 2½ lb cans.

Assorted Canned VEGETABLES.

Potted SAUSAGE and Sausages.

MEAT.

Stuffed PEPPERS.

Assorted PICKLES.

MINCemeAT.

COMB HONEY in Original Frames.

Richardson & Robbin's Celebrated Potted

MEATS.

Richardson & Robbin's Curried OYSTERS.

Lunch TONGUE.

Assorted American SYRUPS, for Su-

mer Drinks.

McCarty's Sugar LEMONADE.

Clam CHOWDER.

Codfish BACLS.

Green TURTLE in 2½ lb cans.

CALIFORNIA
CRACKER
COMPANY BISCUITS in 5 lb

bins, and loose.

Alphabetical BIS-

CUITS.

Fancy Sweet Mixed

BISCUITS.

Ginger CAKES.

Soda BISCUITS.

Oyster BISCUITS.

Cracked WHEAT.

OATMEAL.

HOMINY.

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RYE MEAL.

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3,000 Numbers "FRANKLIN SQUARE,"

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McCarthy's "HISTORY OF OUR OWN

TIMES," "EXHIBITION," and

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SAVOURY PATE.

GAME PATE.

PORK PATE.

OX-PALATES.

HUNG (Hambo) BEEF.

TRIPE.

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SHERBET.

COCAOTINA.

VAN HOUTEN'S COCOA.

EFF'S COCOA.

ROBINSON'S GROAT.

GERLATEIN.

RUSTY OX-TONGUES.

French PLUMS.

PATE DE FOIE GRAS.

SARDINES.

Ham TONGUE and

Chicken SAUSAGE.

ASPARAGUS.

MACARONI.

VERMICELLI.

SAUSAGES.

MEATS.

SOUPS, Etc., &c.

SHIPCHANDLERY of every Description.

RIGGING and SAIL-MAKING promptly

executed.

Hongkong, May 10, 1881.

Insurances.

NOTICE.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.
Is prepared to give FIRE-CLASS RISKS at 2½ per cent. and other INSURANCES at Premiums to be agreed.

Shareholders are reminded that the Directors have the power of distributing uncertain proportion of the undivided profits annually among such Shareholders as have contributed business to the Company.

AGENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of China and Japan, and at Singapore, Penang, and Manila.

A. G. STOKES,
Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, May 10, 1881.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
(FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL, —TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant POLICIES against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, or Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions.

Proposals for LIFE Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision.

At request, premium will be granted on a single Life.

For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information, apply to

ARNOLD, KARBERG & CO.,
Agents, Hongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1881.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF

His Majesty King George The First.

A. D. 1730.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation are prepared to grant Insurance as follows:—

Policies issued at current rates, payable either here, in London or at the principal Ports of India, China and Australia.

Policies issued for long or short periods at current rates.

Life Department.

Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000 at reduced rates.

HOLIDAY, WISE & CO.

Hongkong, July 25, 1881.

MANCHESTER FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

ESTABLISHED 1824.

Capital of the Company £1,000,000 Sterling

of which is paid up £100,000.

Reserve Fund upwards of £120,000.

Annual Income £25,000.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurance at current rates.

HOLIDAY, WISE & CO.

Hongkong, October 15, 1881.

YANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.

CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up)... Tls. 420,000.00

PERMANENT RESERVE..... Tls. 230,000.00

RESERVE FUND..... Tls. 288,036.17

TOTAL CAPITAL AND ACCUMULATED RESERVE..... Tls. 938,036.17

— April, 1881.

MESSRS. BURGESS, ETC.

W. M. BOYD, Esq., Wm. MEYERIN, Esq.,

J. H. PINCKNEY, Esq., F. D. HITCH, Esq.

Esq.

HEAD OFFICE—SHANGHAI.

Messrs. BURGESS & CO., Agents.

LONDON BRANCH:

Messrs. BURGESS & CO., Agents.

RICHARD BLACKWELL, Esq., Agent,

68 and 69, Cornhill.

POLICIES granted on Marine Risks to all parts of the World.

Subject to a Charge of 12½ for Interests

on Shareholders' Capital, and the Proportion

of Underwriting Business among all Contributors

of Business in proportion to the Premiums

paid by them.

RUSSELL & CO., Agents.

Hongkong, May 20, 1881.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned are prepared to accept Risks upon First Class Buildings and/or their Contents at 2½ per cent. and other Insurances at Premiums to be agreed.